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Editorial Chat.

It is surprising how many persons go about the country practising the "bump" theory. Practical phrenologists do not place dependence on "bumps," but on a proper balancing of the whole organization. We consider every phrenologist ought to study mesmerism, physiology, pathology, and every other ology pertaining to human science.

We will gladly send a copy of "Know Thyself" to any Public Library, Mechanics' Institute, or such like institutions on application.

If you have an idea of any description that would help to make "Know Thyself" more interesting, send it along.

We believe that amongst our readers there must be many who have ideas with regard to the way in which the popularity of a new paper may be extended. With a view to eliciting these, we offer A PRIZE to the sender of the best practical suggestion on this point. It is scarcely necessary to remark that projects which involve large outlay will have no chance of gaining the prize. We want practical, sensible ideas expressed in

as clear and concise a form as possible. In no case must a competition exceed 200 words in length. One person may send any number of suggestions. The lists will remain open till December 1st.

We trust our readers will appreciate our watch competitions, and do their utmost to gain a prize.

As there are so many towns similar to Batley, such as Botley, etc., it is essential that all communications should be addressed to Batley, Yorkshire.

We have not received as many replies to our queries as we hoped for, but, perhaps, our readers will do better next month.

We could not reply in the small limit of space allowed to our graphologist to the great number who sent in specimens of handwriting for delineation, therefore we request those who do not find their character portrayed in the graphology column to observe our alteration of rules, and send to us again.

Our readers ought not to experience any difficulty in obtaining "Know Thyself," as it can be ordered through any news-agent, or direct from our own office.

Our Picture Gallery.

I.—GENERAL BOOTH.



William Booth, founder and general of the Salvation Army, was born at Nottingham in the year 1829. He was brought up to attend the Established Church, but at the age of fourteen, with his father's consent, he attended the Wesleyan chapel, where he was converted to God about a year later.

He became a pawnbroker's assistant, using all his spare time in preaching and evangelistic work. At the age of 24 he entered the Methodist New Connexion as a minister. However, his ideas were too aggressive for a ministerial life to be congenial to him, so, after travelling the country and holding very successful revival meetings in many towns, he requested the Conference to permit him to remain in that capacity. His request was denied, and he accordingly separated himself from that body. He started mission work amongst the masses of the East End of London entirely alone, and the marvellous growth of the Salvation Army proves the great blessing that has been bestowed upon the efforts of this strong minded man. Below we give a brief summary of his character from a phrenological point of view.

M. Leon Delbos in his book, "Pauvre Humanite," describes General Booth in a most amusing manner. He says:—"Look at his head! Have you ever seen anything more ignoble, more diabolical? The head is that of a bird of prey, the hands are the claws of a vulture, the slender body that of a serpent, the eye is lewd and cruel."

I have been personally acquainted with the General for some years, and am of opinion that M. Leon

Delbos, though correct in his delineation, might have shown more benevolence in the terms he has used.

General Booth has fine organic quality, therefore he is very susceptible to surrounding influences, and quite unfit for the *common duties* of life. His aspirations are high. He would excel in a mental pursuit, as nature has been lavish in her bestowments upon him. His vital temperament is good, which enables him to perform his daily labour without exhaustion; and, combined with a full motive temperament such as he possesses, he can endure much without injury to himself. His mental temperament predominates, and constitutes him a great leader in thought and action; and, having great activity, he is anything but lazy, being constantly at work on new plans, etc., even when he ought to be asleep. He is intense and excitable to a high degree, easily annoyed and irritable with inactive persons, and those who do not his will. In the main he is consistent in life and doctrine, but strongly affected by circumstances. He loves and enjoys domestic ties, but does not consider them life's greatest good; has strong animal desires, and is selfish enough to take good care of number one, acquiring property, etc.; but the moral organs, having the ascendancy, turns these powers to good account, enabling him to acquire only that he may use it for the good of others. He loves the applause of men, but will not stoop to resign his own will in order to gain it; he would rather combat until he gained his end. He is shrewd and very quick of observation, can judge the value of property accurately, and can weigh up a person's character at a moment's notice. He reasons fairly on things congenial to his nature, but will not trouble himself to enter into and study the theories propounded by others. His refining sentiments are active, giving him a love of perfection in all he undertakes; and takes the form of grand and imposing display of religion. Altogether the moral tone of his character is good, although he is at times apt to be led into error by harshly judging weaker and less positive characters than his own.

Prof. IDA ELLIS.

Review of Publications.

ALL books, pamphlets, magazines, etc., that are sent us are carefully reviewed and announced in this column. Address—Review Department, *Know Thyself* Office, 115, Taylor St., Batley, Yorks.

WE have received an interesting pamphlet detailing the experiences of a poor gentlewoman, who, being suddenly reduced from a state of affluence to one of comparative dependance, had the good sense not to rely upon her friends, but like a reasonable woman, bestirred herself to find some respectable employment wherein she would be subject to few or no indignities, and whereby she might earn enough to eke out a moderate competence. The plan pursued by the Authoress is fully detailed, and the numerous suggestions given are very practical. Any lady persevering in the scheme laid down by Miss Fisher, the authoress, will not fail to realise at least £1 per week.



It is entitled "How I make £55 a year by my sewing machine," and is advertised at 1/- post free in our Sale and Exchange column.

"How to improve the memory," by Prof. Dutton, 45, Lumley Road, Skegness, price 3d. This is undoubtedly the best work we have seen on the subject of memory at so low a price, and should be in the hands of everybody who wishes to cultivate a good memory. The pages on the value of a good memory, what is memory, where is memory, and the causes of a bad memory, etc., etc., with the illustrations, are quite fascinating to read, besides being very instructive.

Answers to Correspondents.

CORRESPONDENTS who do not find their letters answered in this column should repeat their questions and send a stamped addressed envelope, when they will be replied to by post. Address—Correspondence Department, *Know Thyself* Office, 115, Taylor St., Batley, Yorks.

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EDITOR.—We answered your question last month when we stated our willingness to advertise in any periodical, provided the proprietor spends an equal amount in advertising in "Know Thyself."

T. W. H.—Thanks for contribution. We shall be pleased to receive others suitable for young students of the science.

Our Directory.

TRADESMEN and others can have their name and address inserted in here at 2d. per insertion. Address—Directory Department, "Know Thyself" Office, 115, Taylor Street, Batley, Yorkshire.

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W. S.—You are very affectionate. Must have some one to love and adore. Active and impulsive to a high degree. Good musical ability, and possess a strong desire to please others in order to gain their favour.

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SIMON STANDFAST, ETC.—See answers to correspondents.

DAISY.—You are a thorough business person, with plenty of push and go about you. Rather too excitable, but on the whole considered very lovable and amiable. You love music, and are very active in everything, almost hating those who are idle.

NEVETS.—Active enterprising, and shrewd, you ought to make your mark as a business man. Fond of study, and will stick to one thing until finished. Rather too confidential. Keep your own counsel more than you usually do, or you may regret in time.

HUMAN NATURE STUDIES.

ORIGINAL or selected Contributions must be written on one side of the paper only, and are paid for according to their value, immediately on publication. If selected, the date and name of paper must be stated. Rejected contributions will be returned if a large, stamped, addressed envelope is sent with the M.S.S. Address—M.S.S. Department, *Know Thyself* Office, 115, Taylor St., Batley, Yorkshire.

Character in the Eyes.

LONG, almond-shaped eyes, with thick-skinned eyelids that cover half the pupil, are indicative of genius when they are found in conjunction with a brow which is full over the eyebrows, and which has one deep perpendicular line between the eyebrows. We have frequently noticed this combination in the faces of distinguished literary men and artists. The almond-shaped eye, however, even without this form of forehead, always means a susceptible and impressionable nature. Eyes which are large, open, and very transparent, and which sparkle with a rapid motion under well-defined eyelids, denote elegance in taste, a somewhat susceptible temper, and great interest in the opposite sex. Eyes with weakly-marked eyebrows above them, and with thinly-growing eye-lashes which are complete without any upward curve, denote a feeble constitution and a melancholy disposition. Deep sunken and small blue eyes, under a bony, almost perpendicular forehead, are indicative of selfish and cold-hearted natures. Eyes that show not only the whole of the iris, but also some of the white, both above and below it, denote a restless, uncertain nature, incapable of repose or concentrated thought on any subject.

The eyes of a voluptuary move slowly under heavy lids. Round-shaped eyes are never seen in the face of a highly intellectual person, but they denote a kindly, truthful, and innocent nature. Eyes which, when seen in profile, are so protuberant as to lie almost parallel with the profile of the nose, show a weak organisation of body and mind. Eyes close together show penetration, but they also denote cunning and untruthful disposition. The eyes which are far apart are indicative of frankness and simplicity of purpose, and an honest and guileless nature. When, however, the eyes are very far apart they denote stupidity. Eyes with sharply defined angles, sinking at the corners, show dulness of mind; the sharper the angle, and the more it sinks, the greater is the tendency to cunning and deceit. Well-opened eyes, with smooth eyelids and steady and somewhat fixed glance, denote sincerity. Lines running along the eyelids from side to side, and passing out upon the temples, denote habitual laughter—a cheerful temperament, or at any rate, one in which the sense of fun is apt to be rather strong.

The Hairs of our Head are all Numbered.

A GERMAN physiologist who counted the hairs on different human heads, states that taking four heads of hair of equal weight, the number of hairs, according to colour, was as follows:—

Red	99,000
Black	103,000
Brown	100,000
Blonde	140,000

Dark brown hair is by far the most common in this country. It has been found that out of a given number of English people 30 have red hair, 67 black hair, 108 fair hair, 338 light brown hair, and 807 dark brown hair.

Pores of the Skin.

THESE glands are very numerous in some parts, on the sole of the foot and palm of the hand there being about 2700 in each square inch, while on the cheeks there are about 550 in the same space, and on forehead about 1250. According to careful computation the total number in the body amounts to 2,400,000, and as each little gland when its coil is unravelled would measure about 1-15th of an inch, their entire length amounts to not less than 153,000 inches, or about two and a half miles.

Height in Relation to Weight.

GREAT pains have been taken to frame a standard which should indicate the proportion which weight should have to height. Considerable attention was given to the subject by Dr. John Hutchinson, who collected the height and weight of persons who exhibited themselves as giants and dwarfs and other exceptional cases—2,650 persons, all of whom were men of all callings and grades of society, and in the prime and vigour of life.

The following is the average result of his observations:—

Height	Weight	Height	Weight
ft. in.	st. lb.	ft. in.	st. lb.
5 1	8 8	5 7	10 8
5 2	9 0	5 8	11 1
5 3	9 7	5 9	11 8
5 4	9 13	5 10	12 1
5 5	10 2	5 11	12 6
5 6	10 5	6 0	12 10

Are your Limbs of Equal Length?

BOTH legs of a large proportion of human beings are not of the same length, in fact the length of either arms or legs varies in nearly every individual. Of seventy skeletons measured only seven, or 10 per cent., had lower limbs of equal length; 25, or 35·8 per cent. had the right limb longer than the left; and in 38 cases, or 54·5 per cent., the left limb was the

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Advertisements for our next issue must reach us not later than the 15th of this month.

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The Competition Company.

An Important Announcement.

As already announced in the September issue of our publication *The Prize Gazette* we have, after careful consideration, decided to form a competition company, with a capital of £50. This sum to be divided (for subscription by the readers of this magazine) into shares of 5/- each, and which we have much pleasure in offering to *Know Thyself* readers.

As space does not permit our giving full particulars, etc., here, we most refer intending shareholders to the current issue of *The Prize Gazette* (1d., post free), for further particulars. The following, however, will show at a glance the way in which the company will be carried on, etc.

We must, first of all, impress upon all that this is not a catch-penny scheme or a fraud, but a thoroughly upright and bona-fide affair, and under the management of the proprietors of *The Prize Gazette* (Messrs. Davidson Brothers), now well-known throughout the competition world as *straightforward and honest* men.

Our mode of conducting the company is this:—At the close of each *separate* competition we shall make out a Balance Sheet shewing the exact number of Entrances, cost of advertising and all other expenditure, in fact *every* small or large item will be given on the sheet. A copy, of course, will be sent to all shareholders.

Proper books will be kept, and should any shareholder feel doubtful as to the way in which we may carry the company on, *i.e.*, should anyone think we are swindling them, they will be at liberty to inspect the books at any time, and they can further do so, should they feel inclined to drop in at the office, without a moment's notice, and demand to be shown through the books. Further, an accountant will be appointed, if desired, to examine and check the books, accounts, etc., every half-year, and report thereon.

We have decided to hold the first competition at the beginning of December (Christmas Competition). This is the proper time for competitions being the winter months.

We estimate the profits on this competition alone to be at least £100. If we do not estimate wrongly, we expect the profits to be *considerably more*.

Many well-known promoters of competitions have taken several shares in this company, and we have also received several letters congratulating us upon the company as being a capital and profitable idea. (See copy of letters in this issue of *Prize Gazette*.)

Any further information will be gladly given on application to the proprietors.

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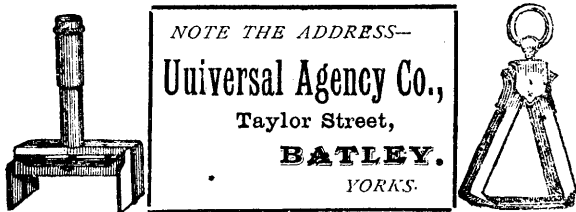
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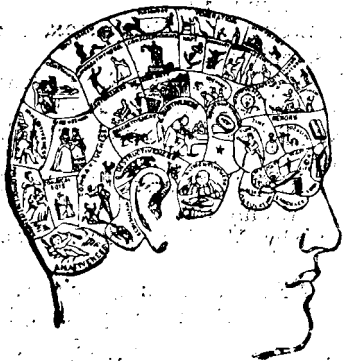
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longer. In the majority of cases the right arm and the left leg are the longer. By actual measurement of fifty skeletons the right arm and the left leg were longer in 23 cases; the left arm and right leg in six, the limbs on the right side longer than those on the left in four, and in the remainder the inequality of the limbs was varied. If the limbs are unequal in length the individual cannot be expected to walk straight unless when guided by the eye, and this fact goes far to explain the phenomena of persons lost in snow, fog, or forest, travelling in a circle when endeavouring to find their way.



LESSONS IN PHRENOLOGY.

NOTE.—These lessons do not profess to deal technically with Phrenology, but are intended for those who desire to learn the first principles of the science.—Ed.

LESSON I.

Phrenology and what it Teaches us.

THE term "Phrenology" is derived from two Greek words, *Phren*, mind, and *Logos*, discourse. There is no need to prove the truth or falsity of phrenology, as it is now universally acknowledged. It teaches us that nature operates always and everywhere by means of organs, and never otherwise.

The senses have *external* organs, such as the nose to smell, the eyes to see; and the faculties of the mind possess *internal* organs, having their metropolis in the brain. The brain is not the mind, any more than the eye is sight. The mind sees, hears, smells, and thinks. The eyes, ears, nostrils, and brain are the instruments through which the mind works, with advantage or disadvantage, according to the activity of each organ. Take away the mind and the instruments are of no more use. It also teaches us what we are adapted for in life. A hammer is of no use as a plane, and a plane would do poor service as a hammer. We are all adapted to certain kinds of labour, and it is our duty to find out what we are best adapted for. Phrenology also informs us that those persons with the largest brains, provided they have the corresponding temperaments, excel where those with smaller brains fail. From first to last it teaches us personal purity, health, and holiness, and to learn to do well.

(Our next lesson will be on *Organism*.)

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Ah! these are weary times of grief and sadness
In which we live; sometimes methinks the cloud
Of gloom will ne'er give place to perfect gladness,
Until that peaceful moment when the shroud
Encircles us. 'Tis *grief*, not *sin* that brings this thought,
Or 'twould be folly thus to live and die:
'Twere madness, if experience has not taught
Me wisdom for the battles by and bye.
'Sadness?' say you. "And why?" Because our
friends

Who prove most true, are harshly dealt with here;
Because the rod of iron, unwisely wielded, tends
To check our usefulness with needless fear.
But time is coming when a balance true,
And faultlessly correct, will weigh each one;
Then those who have been false will surely rue
The day that, under colours pure, they have done
Deeds that shame the doer; and their doom
Will send surprise to many a christian's heart.
Yet others, who, while here, have sadly roamed
In grief and bitterness from friends apart,
Will then appear to eyes, who, while on earth,
Have thought them mean, deceptive, full of sin,
As being in the sight of Him, whom heaven-born mirth
And spotless purity doth give, clean within.
Thus, while by friends and foes we are condemned,
And scanty sympathy on us bestowed;
Whilst words and looks repulsive all do tend
To check that ardour wherewith once we glowed;
Whilst actions, wrought by those appearing wise,
Do nought but cripple us for life's rough work;
And as one foe we vanquish, two more rise,
Through those who bid not our duty shirk.
Yet He who lives above doth know each one,
He understands the grief of every heart,
He'll recompense us all when life is done,
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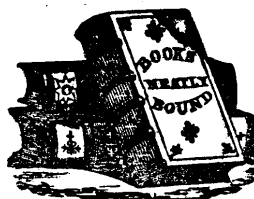
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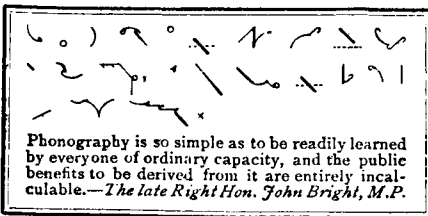
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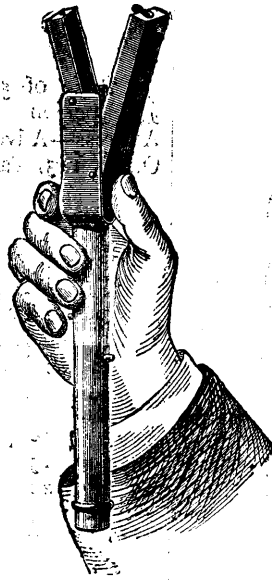
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